

Private Law 93-108

AN ACT

For the relief of Charles William Thomas, deceased.

January 2, 1975
[S. 2446]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) Charles William Thomas, of Orange, Texas, died in Washington, District of Columbia, shall be held and considered—

Charles W.
Thomas.

(1) to have been appointed as a Foreign Service officer of class 3 under sections 511 and 621 of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, on April 23, 1967;

22 USC 906,
991.

(2) to have served, during the period from April 23, 1967, through April 12, 1971, as a Foreign Service officer of class 3;

(3) to have died on April 12, 1971, as a Foreign Service officer of class 3; and

(4) to have had in effect for the period from April 23, 1967, through April 12, 1971, that amount of group life insurance, and an equal amount of group accidental death and dismemberment insurance (purchased by the Civil Service Commission) to which he would have been entitled as a Foreign Service Officer of class 3 during such period.

(b) The Secretary of State shall determine—

(1) the amount of salary (including increases in salary under section 625 of the Foreign Service Act of 1946) to which the said Charles William Thomas would have been entitled during the period from April 23, 1967, through April 12, 1971, as a Foreign Service officer of class 3, less an amount equal to the difference between the amount actually paid by the said Charles William Thomas in group life and accidental death and dismemberment insurance premiums and the amount of such premiums he would have paid for the coverage of such insurance during that period had he been a Foreign Service officer of class 3;

22 USC 995.

(2) the amount of any lump sum payment to which the said Charles William Thomas would have been entitled under section 5551 of title 5, United States Code (relating to accumulated and accrued leave), upon his death on April 12, 1971, as a Foreign Service officer of class 3;

(3) the amount of annuity to which the widow of the said Charles William Thomas would have been entitled under section 821 of the Foreign Service Act of 1946 from April 12, 1971, through the day prior to the date of enactment of this Act had such annuity been computed on the basis of the amount of salary referred to in clause (1) of this subsection and the service referred to in subsection (a) of this section;

22 USC 1076.

(4) the amount of any insurance lump sum or other benefit payments to which the widow and children of Charles William Thomas, deceased, would be entitled to pursuant to paragraph (4) above.

(c) Each amount determined by the Secretary under subsection (b) of this section shall be (1) reduced by any amount paid to the said Charles William Thomas as salary during the period referred to in clause (1) of such subsection, as an annuity payable to the widow of the said Charles William Thomas, and (2) as so reduced, paid by the Secretary out of funds available for the payment of salaries of Foreign Service officers, lump sum payments, or annuities to such officers or their survivors, as appropriate.

22 USC 1082.

(d) In the administration of section 832 of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, as amended, and surviving widow of the said Charles William Thomas shall be entitled to be paid an annuity as recomputed on the basis of the provisions of subsection (a) of this section.

SEC. 2. No part of any payment authorized in this Act shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Violation of the provisions of this section is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$1,000.

Approved January 2, 1975.

Private Law 93-109

January 2, 1975
[H. R. 1715]

AN ACT

For the relief of Corporal Paul C. Amedeo, United States Marine Corps Reserve.

Cpl. Paul C.
Amedeo, USMCR.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Corporal Paul C. Amedeo, United States Marine Corps Reserve, of Binghamton, New York, is relieved of liability to the United States in the amount of \$606.92, representing the amount due to the United States as a result of certain overpayments of pay and allowances received by him during the period beginning April 20, 1966, and ending October 19, 1970, while he was on active duty in the United States Marine Corps. The overpayments were the result of administrative errors which occurred without fault on the part of Corporal Paul C. Amedeo. In the audit and settlement of the accounts of any certifying or disbursing officer of the United States, credit shall be given for the amount for which liability is relieved by this section.

SEC. 2. (a) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Corporal Paul C. Amedeo an amount equal to the aggregate of any amounts paid by him to the United States with respect to the indebtedness to the United States referred to in the first section of this Act.

(b) No part of the amount appropriated in subsection (a) of this section in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this subsection shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

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Private Law 93-110

January 2, 1975
[H. R. 2208]

AN ACT

For the relief of Raymond W. Suchy, second lieutenant, United States Army (retired).

2d Lt. Raymond
W. Suchy, USA.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money